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# 300 IN HUNT FORAGED MAN LOST IN ATOL

William Stowers, Fearing Removal to State Home, Wandered From Home.

## DRAG SUICIDE POND TODAY

ATOL, Oct. 15.—Three hundred men and hundreds of boys are today searching for the body of the foraged man, William Stowers, who disappeared three days ago from the house of his sister, Mrs. James Stowers, Highland avenue.

Feeling that he was to be taken to some institution for the feeble-minded, the aged man believed he had wandered away, and has either died of starvation or committed suicide.

There are many small ponds in the immediate vicinity of the Stowers home, and several of these were dragged without result. The members of the fire department have been called in to aid in the hunt.

Mr. Stowers, who was very fond of his home, is almost guaranteed today because of the mysterious disappearance of the man who was last seen on Monday night.

Within the past few years no less than twenty persons have drowned themselves in Suicide Lake, hence its forbidding name.

# Mrs. Jean H. Hallett, Who Left Husband 6 Days After Wedding



## EARLY CLOSING FOR LIBRARY

Librarian Horace G. Wadsworth of the Boston Public Library announced today that the library will continue to close early on Monday, Oct. 19, at 5 o'clock, because of the thousands of students and others who are expected to have the library, especially the reading room and reference department, kept open until 10 p. m. during the Winter session, as has been the custom for several years.

Librarian Wadsworth gives as the reason that the library appropriation has been decreased from \$225,000 to \$210,000 by Mayor Hibbard's administration, and it has been found necessary to economize in all departments. The salaries of attendants for the extra hour, it is estimated, will offset a saving of \$2,000 during the Winter.

# BRINGS KNIFE TO JOIN ARMY

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—Inhabiting a fighting spirit, Albert Kistner, applied at a recruiting station for service. He was rejected because he was afflicted with what was known as "tanner toes." Not discouraged he went to work as a hairer and shaved \$30 and then went to Wadsworth Hospital and submitted to an operation. Kistner could be presented himself for enlistment. Lieutenant Franklin H. Kistner examined the feet and found them in good condition and Kistner was accepted.

Double Legal Stamp will be given with every purchase amounting to 12 o'clock noon at Wolf's, "My Clothier," corner Hanover and Portland streets. Stencil stamps therewith.

# BORE LEAVES HUSBAND 6 DAYS AFTER WEDDING

Bridegroom Wanted Breakfast at 5 O'clock, and She Balked.

## GOES HOME TO MOTHER

NORTHAMPTON, Oct. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hallett have separated after a wedded life of six days.

Mr. Hallett is twenty-three and the girl is married on October 10 to his young brother, who is a freshman at the University of Vermont.

Something interrupted the honeymoon because it had hardly begun. It is said that they ate but one meal together, and that was in the home of a friend of the groom, the morning after the marriage.

The bride, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hallett, of Northampton, was a bride of the year in her home town.

The first thing he did with his money was to buy a new suit. It is said that he had a new suit made for him by a tailor in Northampton.

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# BARGAIN FRIDAY at the CHALLENGE SALE

A Musical Treat Restaurant, Fifth Floor

## Boys' Clothing Sale of Modern Times

A Complete Department for Boys' offering high grade clothing at 25 to 50% less than any other reliable store. Compare, investigate, buy where your judgment dictates.

### Challenge Week

Friday & Saturday Special Friday & Saturday

Boys' \$3.50 Reefers Brown, blue and oxford, all flannel lines, sizes 4 to 12 \$1.75

Boys' \$4.00 Suits Extra Pants—All sizes 7 to 16 Extra pants, in fancy wool effects, at \$2.85

Boys' \$5 Suits—Blue serge, all wool and fast colors, all knicker suits, all sizes 8 to 12 \$3.45

Boys' \$7.50 Suits and Reefers—All new patterns, all wool, all sizes 8 to 12 \$4.95

Boys' \$5 Suits—Extra pants—Fancy frays and brown, one knicker and one straight \$3.45

Boys' \$4 Overcoats—Russian style, sizes 3 to 8 yr. \$1.85

Boys' \$5 Suits—Some have extra pants—Fancy frays, all new fall styles, per suit, sizes 8 to 16 \$1.75

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# Sheet Music 4c

A lot of the latest sheet music, including new songs, operas, and dances, at 4c per copy.

## "Nell Brinkley" Broadcloth Suits

High class, well-tailored, in the latest styles, at \$17.50.

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# 110,853 CAN VOTE IN BOSTON

Registration in this city for the State and national elections closed last night with a total registered vote of 110,853, an increase of 587 over the registered vote of a year ago, and 577 less than the number registered for last year's city election.

When the registration began this year there were 107,176 names on the voting list, and 11,698 names have been added, making the total 118,874.

## FAILED TO GET NOTICE CONVENTIONS OFF

The Democratic convention for Norfolk County and the Second Council District, scheduled to be held yesterday afternoon in Norwood Hall, Dedham, failed to materialize.

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# NEW BEDFORD LEAGUE RALLY

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 15.—(Press) preparations are being made for the rally of the Independent League which is to be held here Saturday night in Weaver Hall. It is reported that the most enthusiastic support will be given to the cause.

William N. Briggs, Independent League candidate for Lieutenant Governor, will be the principal speaker at the rally. He will be assisted by other prominent members of the league.

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# House Dresses

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# THE BREWSTER HOTEL OPENED

The Brewster, Boston's newest hotel, and which is situated on Berkeley street, was formally opened yesterday afternoon at a reception attended by the management in a large number of invited guests. It is a beautiful building, with a modern and comfortable interior, and is well equipped with all the latest improvements. The hotel is owned by the Brewster family, and is managed by Mr. J. H. Brewster. The hotel is situated in a quiet neighborhood, and is well known for its excellent service and comfortable accommodations. The hotel is open to the public, and is a most desirable place for a stay.

# I G Small & Co

## Pronounced Specials for Friday and Saturday



This Beautiful Broad-cloth Coat \$7.98



Princess Gowns of Chiffon Taffeta in all the new colors. \$15

# Waists . . . \$2.98



Black Taffeta, open front and back, blouse front, clustered tucks on shoulder, fancy long sleeves with two buttons. \$2.98



Embroidered Net Waists, yoke of hand-made medallions of raised embroidery, lace collar of net, mesh, lace sleeves, buttoned back. \$2.98



Massaline, with long tucks extending from shoulder to waist, newest long sleeves. \$2.98

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Divided in Two Lots For Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
25.00 and 30.00 Smart Tailored Suits, guaranteed satin linings, all new mannish suitings, made in the newest fall styles, sold the city over at 25.00 and 30.00. Get your first choice. Come early. Compare with any suit in Boston at this value. \$15.00

501 Washington Street, Room 40  
BETWEEN TEMPLE PLACE AND WEST STREET, TAKE ELEVATOR

# Alvin Emery, Lynn Boy Shot While He Was Hunting Birds



Every day great crowds are flocking to the Boston Food Fair in the Park Square Coliseum, for the popularity of the March King and his band never wanes. Next Monday ten great musical bands will visit the Boston Food Fair, and will give free a complete copy of Sousa's latest march, now famous, "The Patriot of the Fair".

WHICH EVER DOOR YOU ENTER—Adams Square, Brattle Square or the newly added Washington Street entrance—you're bound to see our New Way Wardrobe Cases. There's nearly fifty of them, all holding Morse Made Clothes. And you can't see them anywhere else. They're the finest devices for stock-keeping that have been invented. They increase the comforts of storage, enabling a customer to readily choose the style that pleases him. And when his choice is made the garment he picks out is ready to put right on his back. No unwieldy wrinkles that need to be pressed out; no counter cases of any kind in these garments. They're just as smooth and shapely as when they left our tailor's hands.

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A. G. VAN NOSTRAND, BUNKER HILL BREWERIES  
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### ALICE LLOYD

Rightful divorce to be granted "the defendant and defendant" in the English court. The divorce was granted in the English court, and the defendant is now free to marry.

### AT KEITH'S

The current season's new arrivals in the English court. The defendant is now free to marry.

### ORPHEUM

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### HOLLIS ST. THEATRE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### COLONIAL THEATRE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### BOSTON THEATRE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### CASTLE SQ.

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### HUB THEATRE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### BOWDOIN SQUARE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### COLUMBIA

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

### PALACE

Wm. Morris, Ben. Lewis and Mags. The defendant is now free to marry.

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## CLARKE WILLING

to DEBATE  
The session of the House of Representatives in the Fifth District at a free trader, influential Colonel Albert Clarke, an ardent protectionist, to debate the question of tariff revision, will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, 100 State street, at 10 o'clock this morning. The debate will be held at 10 o'clock this morning. The debate will be held at 10 o'clock this morning.

## DOUBLE STAMPS

UNTIL NOON AT WOLF'S  
The Boston American's Double Stamp at the Wolf's at 10 o'clock this morning. The Boston American's Double Stamp at the Wolf's at 10 o'clock this morning.

HIGH PEOPLE  
ARE UNHAPPY,  
SAYS POWERS

Former Congressman Discusses  
"Is Life Worth Living?" at  
Arcanum Meeting.

## OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED

"Wealth does not bring happiness. Large wealth generally brings unhappiness. I would not select John D. Rockefeller, though he is said to be the richest man in the country. It is the small things in life that bring happiness."

This interesting statement was made last night by former Congressman James H. Powers of Newbury at the "Federal of Arcanum" meeting, held at the Hotel Arcanum, 100 State street, at 10 o'clock this morning. The speaker, who is a well-known orator, discussed the question of "Is Life Worth Living?" and the importance of the small things in life.

## COMING FINE ATTRACTIONS

"The Globe" has caused a great deal of comment among students of the drama in Boston. The play was much talked about while played in New York and in the opinion of those who have seen it at the Park Theatre is really a drama of the common.

The play, which is a story of a man's life, is a very interesting one. It is a story of a man's life, and it is a story of a man's life. It is a story of a man's life, and it is a story of a man's life.

## Ladies' Raincoats

At the same time, the play is a very interesting one. It is a story of a man's life, and it is a story of a man's life. It is a story of a man's life, and it is a story of a man's life.

## DROPS DEAD AS HE

HURRIES FOR TRAIN  
NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—James H. Johnston, a well-known actor, was killed by a train in New York City. He was hurrying for the train and was killed by a train.

## TOMORROW'S BEST BARGAINS

Money-Saver for Thrifty Shoppers Selected by an Expert  
The Boston American's Double Stamp at the Wolf's at 10 o'clock this morning. The Boston American's Double Stamp at the Wolf's at 10 o'clock this morning.

## WILL OPEN THIS MORNING AT 10:30

## Opening Week--Bargains

All this week we are giving special bargains to popularize our new store. We are giving special bargains to popularize our new store. We are giving special bargains to popularize our new store.

Teas, Coffees, Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Baking Powder, Extracts, Candies, Cocoa, Delicatessen, and Heinz's 57 Varieties.

## SOLD DIRECT FROM PRODUCER TO CONSUMER--Save the Middleman's Profit.

London Bread Co. 18c lb. Butter 14c lb. Eggs 6c doz. Tea 10c lb. Coffee 10c lb. Cocoa 10c lb. Baking Powder 10c lb. Extracts 10c lb. Candies 10c lb. Delicatessen 10c lb. Heinz's 57 Varieties 10c lb.

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Theatres.

## COMING FINE ATTRACTIONS

"The Globe" has caused a great deal of comment among students of the drama in Boston. The play was much talked about while played in New York and in the opinion of those who have seen it at the Park Theatre is really a drama of the common.

The play, which is a story of a man's life, is a very interesting one. It is a story of a man's life, and it is a story of a man's life. It is a story of a man's life, and it is a story of a man's life.

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Money-Saver for Thrifty Shoppers Selected by an Expert  
The Boston American's Double Stamp at the Wolf's at 10 o'clock this morning. The Boston American's Double Stamp at the Wolf's at 10 o'clock this morning.

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PLAN BIG RALLY MACK WANTS  
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FOR CAMPAIGN

Special to the Boston American.  
PAWTUCKET, Oct. 15.—A resolution meeting in the interests of the Independent party, which will be held in the new auditorium, No. 10 Worcester street, rooms 8 and 9, on Saturday evening.

Among the speakers who will address the rally are Mack and national nominees are Al Henry Desper, candidate for governor, and William M. Fernald, candidate for secretary of State, and Walter G. Smith, candidate for the senate.

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**JUST FOR FRIDAY**  
Prices! Values! BARGAINS! NOT TALK!

**MILLINERY**  
120 dozen Women's Felt Hats, several styles, black and colors, values 75c to \$1.25. Special for Friday.  
39c  
25c

**Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs**  
This is a special offer of 120 dozen ladies' initial handkerchiefs, made of fine linen, with initial in blue or red ink. Each set contains 12 handkerchiefs. Value 25c. Special for Friday.  
29c

**Opium Shawl Scarfs 1.98**  
This is a special offer of 120 dozen opium shawl scarfs, made of fine silk, with initial in blue or red ink. Each set contains 12 scarfs. Value 1.98. Special for Friday.  
1.98

**10c RIBBONS 11c**  
This is a special offer of 120 dozen 10c ribbons, made of fine silk, with initial in blue or red ink. Each set contains 12 ribbons. Value 11c. Special for Friday.  
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**Big Bargain Sale**  
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TRADERS WATCH  
LAWSON STOCKS

Bay State Gas and the other Lawsons continued to have the centre of the stage on the Club this morning, although

The first horse Bay State Gas, while  
operated at 100-210, sold down to 98. About  
2,000 shares were traded in that time.  
A large number of persons in the market  
and otherwise, more than 200 in all, were  
partaking events.

## WOMAN KILLED IN CARRIAGE WRECK

DANVERS, Oct. 15.—The dead body of a  
young woman was found this morning  
in the wreckage of a carriage and near a badly  
injured horse, was found in a cellar hole  
under the rear of a house on the E. side of  
road by George E. Hooper. The horse  
was nearly dead and was later shot. It  
was apparent that the woman had ac-  
cidentally driven into the cellar, as there  
was a thick growth of weeds around it which  
would not have been noticed. It is  
believed the woman's name was Emma,  
and that she is known to  
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## Our Week-End Ba

**Many Other Lots, Equally Low Priced, But Too Small to**

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| envelope and bag; written<br>coat lined with good quality<br>satin; new model<br>skirt. On sale Fri-<br>day at ..... | <b>15.00</b> | Friday at ..... <b>05C</b>     | skirt; new model<br>worsted girls. On sale<br>Friday at ..... | <b>2.95</b> |
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|                                                                                                                      |              | <b>Women's 1.25 Gloves 79c</b> |                                                               |             |
| 1 clasp cape gloves in the new<br>London tan shades with spear<br>point embroidered backs. A                         |              |                                | <b>5.00 Party Dresses 3.75</b>                                |             |
|                                                                                                                      |              |                                | Handsome party dresses with<br>ruffled yokes; satin lace      |             |

15.00 to 18.50 Dresses 8.95  
30 dresses of fine quality stripe  
taffeta with handsome yokes of  
lace, Friday and Sat- 8.05  
bags, imported and domestic;  
various styles and leathers;  
slightly shopworn. On 4.00  
sale Friday at . . . . .

39c Drawers 29c  
various styles and leathers;  
slightly shopworn. On 4.00  
sale Friday at . . . . .

Girls' 1.50-2.00 Dresses 79c  
In gingham, lawn, etc. in au-  
tumn colors. On sale 79c

fects; some with lacerated cuffs and collars; lingeries daintily trimmed with val. lace and edging to match. On sale Friday at ..... **89c**

Also chemises, elaborately trim-  
 prettily trimmed with lace and embroidery. On sale Friday at ..... **98c**

**2.25 Drawers 1.49**

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**75c Laces at 39c**

White and ecru flat bands: 3 to 4 inches wide. On sale Friday at ..... **39c**

a variety of styles, with some trimmings of all ribbons, wings and quill. **2.50**

**1.50 School Hats 75c**

Black only. On sale Friday at ..... **95c**

**1.00-1.50 Belts 50c**

White and were 1.00, 1.25 and 2.00. On sale Friday **79c**

**50c-75c Trimmings 39c**

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| broken sizes and throw widths. On sale Friday at ..... <b>75c</b>            | <b>Real Russian Crash. Special Friday and Saturday at 1 1/2 1/2c</b>            | 50 inches wide; very firm weave and pretty effects. Always were 37 1/2c. On sale Friday at ..... <b>19c</b> |
| <b>Women's 1.00-1.50 Shoes 35c</b><br><small>a lot of white material</small> | <b>All Pure Linen Huck Towels. Special Friday and Saturday at ..... 12 1/2c</b> | <b>Men's Handkerchiefs 17c</b>                                                                              |

lace boots. Just the shoe for strenuous wear. Were 2.99 and 2.25. On sale Friday at ..... **1.65**

5,000 slightly damaged copies of popular and opera music. On sale Friday at, a copy.. **5c**

rive then behind all the handkerchiefs. Were 17c and 25c. On Sale Friday **12½c** at .....

Reaman, a farmer, went to the district school here, called out his two sons, aged ten and twelve years, and one of them dead, mortally wounded the other, and then killed himself. The cause of the tragedy is not known.

Size 40-42, made of good sewing  
cotton; with 3-inch hem. **12½c**  
On sale Friday at.....

and fluted. On sale Friday at a dozen..... **19!**







ARCHBOLD AND HIS RETRIEVERS

The French Poodle  
and German Dachs-  
hund—Strange  
Mixture

We Have Mixtures and Creatures  
Just as Strange in This Land  
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A little stable boy, used as an exerciser in Mr. August Belmont's racing and gambling stable, brought through his mother a very interesting and enlightening lawsuit.

He tried to get a hundred thousand dollars from Mr. Belmont. He didn't get anything. But he did enlighten the public, for the contract brought out the conditions under which little boys, almost in their babyhood, are employed as gambling paraphernalia by "gentlemen of the turf."

It turns out that a little boy ten or twelve years old is hired for year board and clothing for two years, \$10 a month for the next two years, and \$15 a month for the last two years of his apprenticeship—his hope being that he might eventually become a jockey.

Concerning this child, Mr. Belmont, as was admitted, published in the Racing Calendar an official statement warning all other racing "gentlemen" not to employ this boy, because he was apprenticed to Belmont and had failed to obey the rules established by "turf gentlemen" for the control of the children that they hire.

It was amusing to observe that one of the very serious crimes committed by this little boy was his failure to touch his cap whenever he saw Mr. Belmont or any of Mr. Belmont's guests.

To touch your cap, you know, is as much as to say to the person thus honored, "You are a grand aristocrat and I am only a worm." Among the rich, mother-born aristocrats of the Old World this is done. Our cheap, little, freshly-gilded American aristocrats, trying their best to seem real, like to have caps "touched" to them. It makes them feel noble. That is all amusing, not important.

Mr. Belmont, as it happens, is rather seriously afflicted with violent recent aristocracy. A stenographer newly employed by him came in to take notes in his office, sat down and was a little surprised when the indignant voice of Mr. Belmont asked him, "How dare you sit down in my presence? While in my presence take your notes standing up." The young man stood up after that and took his notes. It was uncomfortable, but Mr. Belmont's aristocracy was preserved.

These little things, punishing a poor, little, overworked child because he fails to touch his cap, or forbidding a stenographer to sit down in the august presence, are not serious, they are only funny.

We once knew in the Old Country a queer little mongrel, half French poodle and half dachshund. Its front legs were short, and behind they were long. He was well trained. You could put a lump of sugar on his nose and he would not touch the sugar until you had recited and finished the following bi-lingual rigamarole:

Qu'est ce que c'est?  
Was let den dass?  
L'encrier,  
Das Tintenfass.  
Le bœuf, der Ochs.  
La Vache, die Kuh  
Fermes la porte.  
Die Thür mach' zu.

As soon as you had finished that he ate the sugar. Having known that little thing, and his eccentricities in far-off Paris, we are not surprised or irritated by Mr. Belmont's attitude toward stenographers that must not sit down in the presence of his lordship, or tiny boys that must touch their caps nervously when majesty approaches.

But we must confess that we are a little surprised and a little irritated by the facts brought out AS TO THE TREATMENT IN MR. BELMONT'S STABLE OF CHILDREN DRAFTED INTO HIS GAMBLING BUSINESS.

It is stated publicly that, under his rules: "All contract boys must go to bed at 9 P. M. All contract boys must arise at 5 A. M. Exercise horses until 5 A. M. After breakfast again exercise horses."

We should like to ask the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children what it was doing while Mr. Belmont was framing and enforcing such rules of work against children.

Mr. Gerry, of the Children's Society, doubtless dines occasionally with Mr. Belmont. They probably talk over the glorious work of protecting children.

What about these stable boys? Any doctor will tell you that to take a child of ten or twelve and compel him to get up at 3 o'clock in the morning, AFTER SLEEPING ONLY SIX HOURS, is a most brutal and shameful crime against that child's health.

They want their jockeys to be light, to weigh very little. These stable rules for the breaking down of the health of children are admirably adapted to produce light-weight boys of fifteen or sixteen. AND LIGHT-WEIGHT CORPSES STILL YOUNGER.

Nothing could be more ingenious for the destruction of child life than these regulations for the control of "a gentleman's stable." Every boy in his early teens should get his full sleep. To make him get up at 3 o'clock in the morning, with only about half as much sleep as he needs, and then work exercising warily horses for two hours before breakfast, working hard all day, is viciously destructive of the health of a child.

In our opinion, to apprentice a boy to such a life is a crime, and it ought to be punished as a crime. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children interferes ostentatiously with the work of children on the stage. ALTHOUGH THOSE CHILDREN ARE NOT USED AS GAMBLING INSTRUMENTS, BUT ARE ALLOWED TO REST NORMALLY. That society might better look into the condition of some of the children held as poor, little exercise slaves by the turf "gentlemen."

Fortunately, the whole racing business is nothing but a gambling game. The moment you eliminate the criminal gamblers and stop the system of thievery that fattens the bookmakers and pays the expenses of these "gentlemen," you end the whole thing.

In our opinion there won't be much more of this kind of criminality, as regards either the betting or the shameful treatment of apprenticed stable boys. But while it lasts we'd advise Mr. Gerry and his city to arise up and PROTECT THE CHILDREN THAT REALLY



I have read letters to and from Senator Forsaker and Senator Deper and Senator Bailey and Senator Mo-Laurin, showing their connection with corporations. I have read letters that show the passing of large sums of money to certain Senators, in Standard Oil certificates of deposit. While Mr. Kirby, the Standard Oil's game dog in Congress, points and retrieves, Mr. Archbold hunts with the smokeless powder of the certificates of deposit. —Excerpt from Mr. Hearst's speech at Berkeley, Cal.

The Power to  
Speak Well

Whether one be born with the power of persuading his fellow-men or acquires it by dint of labor and persistence, it is a priceless asset in a citizen's equipment.

This country needs more and more the kind of men who speak out, who can put their ideas, their protests and their desires before others in a clear and telling way.

An opportunity to develop and strengthen this public-speaking talent is now open to the working people in the newly-created public speaking courses of the Breadwinners' Institute at No. 112 Salem street, in the North End.

Professor George Pierce Baker of Harvard and Dean Henry Lawrence Southwick of Emerson College, with a staff of assistants, will conduct the training of men and women interested in bringing out their best powers of expression.

This is a privilege so rare that those ambitious for useful public service for their fellows, as well as those eager to fill all part of their daily life with some contact with great thoughts and noble style, should avail themselves of what is held out.

The Diary of a Candidate

By Wex Jones

ISSUED fine large baby to-day. Baby squaled loudly, but father told me he had named it William. "After the next President." Thanked him for the compliment, but he told me the child's middle name was Taft. Stomachache disconcerting, but I said that I hoped the youngster would cast his first vote for me all the same. Nothing like fiddling up pieces ahead of time.

Made fine speech on guarantee of bank deposits. Told the audience that he couldn't lose his savings under my plan. Haven't worked out the details yet, but the thing as a whole must seem attractive to the voters. The idea is that nobody can lose anything if a bank cashier runs away with \$10,000, one it looks as if somebody must lose that amount, but under my plan—when it's worked out—nobody will. The government will have to pay.

The audience asked me how I supposed the sheep-waiver question. Answered by referring him to my Record.

Addressed large and enthusiastic audience on burning issues of the campaign. One of my audience asked me what views I held on the Hungarian situation. Referred him to my Record. The other one asked me what I thought of Free Silver. Was about to refer him to my Record, but remembered that this might cause complications so I referred him to my Record, which didn't seem to arouse much enthusiasm.

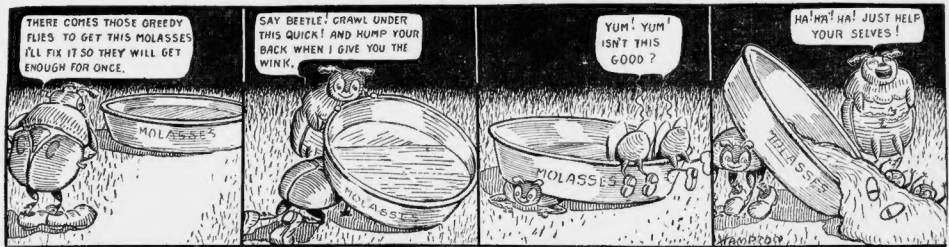
Preparing a list of Dollar Democrats for publication on October 22. Publicity seldom hurts the dollar cause.

Received a delegation of the Lower Paris Club. They questioned me on my attitude toward the tariff. Replied that I had made a masterly speech on the tariff at the Woman Suffrage question. Referred her to my Record, which didn't seem to arouse much enthusiasm.

Referred this and four different persons to my Record to-day. Thirty-four of them asked in return what my Record was. Inconsiderate question during the heat of a campaign. Told them it was written on the blank pages of contemporary history.

FOXY QUILLER BUG HAS AN ACCOMPLICE

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GROUCHO THE MONK OBJECTS TO STEAK

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